

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
ROCK HILL DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ET AL.
ex rel. LYNN E. SZYMONIAK,

Plaintiffs,

v.

AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE
SERVICING ET AL.,

Defendants.

C.A. No.0:10-cv-01465-JFA

NOTICE

**RESPONSE TO THE COURT’S INQUIRY REGARDING THE CONSENT OF THE
UNITED STATES TO DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF CERTAIN CLAIMS
AND CERTAIN DEFENDANTS**

As required by the Court’s Order of May 23, 2014, the United States provides the following reasons for its consent to the dismissal of relator’s claims. The United States conducted a lengthy and detailed investigation of relator’s securitization claims, and determined not to intervene in them. The relator is not inclined to proceed with her securitization claims. The government has concluded that dismissal of these claims is in the public interest because, among other reasons, such dismissal will avoid potentially burdensome discovery on the United States. And, because these are the only claims that remain pending against the Released Defendants, the United States also has determined that dismissal of these defendants is in the public interest.

The United States is, and has been, discussing possible settlements with some of the defendants in this matter, of different and separate claims related to residential mortgage backed securities. For that reason, and to avoid any possible ambiguity as to what is being released here, the United States consents to relator's notices of dismissal as long as they are without prejudice to the United States, consistent with Rule 41(a)(1)(B).

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